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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 4582

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: CODES, KH

SUBJECT: DEATH: BURCH, MICHAEL

REF: STATE 089802

1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED FOLLOWING DETAILS OF BURCH DEATH FROM DAS SANTA MARTA. DEATH OCCURRED 20:40 HOURS APRIL 13 ON ROAD TO BARRANQUILLA WHEN CAR DRIVEN BY BURCH CRASHED INTO BRIDGE ABUTMENT. BURCH WAS ONLY OCCUPANT OF CAR AND WAS DEAD WHEN POLICE ARRIVED AT SCENE OF ACCIDENT.

2. IDENTIFICATION WAS MADE FROM IDENTITY CARDS AND PHOTOGRAPHS ON BODY OF DECEASED. NO RPT NO PASSPORT FOUND.

3. OWNER OF CAR BELIEVED TO BE RAFAEL ALVAREZ OF BARRANQUILLA NO OTHER DETAILS HIS IDENTITY YET AVAILABLE. BECAUSE POLICE UNAWARE OF WHERE OR WITH WHOM BURCH WAS STAYING, WHEREABOUTS OF PERSONAL EFFECTS UNKNOWN. NO ONE WHO KNEW BURCH HAS YET CONTACTED POLICE.

4. BODY PRESENTLY AT SAN JUAN DE DIOS HOSPITAL, SANTA MARTA. FUNERARIA PANAMERICANA, CALLE 14 NO.3-01, SANTA MARTA (TELEPHONE: 5756) HAS PREPARED BODY FOR SHIPMENT TO UNITED STATES BUT UNLIKELY TO BE ABLE TO COMPLETE SHIPMENT UNTIL NEXT WEEK.

5. CONOFF DISCUSSED CASE WITH PARENTS OF DECEASED BY PHONE BEFORE MOST OF ABOVE DETAILS WERE KNOWN. DEPT REQUESTED PASS INFORMATION TO THEM SOONEST.

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